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SUBJECT: FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT NIXON
TO COURT MINISTER ALAM FOR ONWARD TRANSMISSION TO SHAH:

QUOTE. YOUR IMPERIAL MAJESTY: AMERICANS EVERYWHERE SHARE
MY APPRECIATION FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE ON THE OCCASION OF
THE ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR
INDEPENDENCE. WITH BEST REGARDS. RICHARD NIXON. UNQUOTE.

2. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM SHAH TO PRESIDENT
NIXON:

QUOTE. DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON THE OCCASION OF THE
ANNIVERSARY OF THE PROCLAMATION OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO
CONVEY TO YOU, MR. PRESIDENT, MY WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS
TOGETHER WITH MY SINCERE BEST WISHES FOR YOUR PERSONAL
HEALTH AND HAPPINESS AS WELL AS FOR THE WELFARE AND IN-
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CREASING PROSPERITY OF THE NOBLE AMERICAN PEOPLE UNDER YOUR

DISTINGUISHED LEADERSHIP. MOHAMMAD REZA PAHLAVI. UNQUOTE.

3. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT OF REPLY,
BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO ITS RELEASE BY GOI. RUSH

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